Celebrate International Migratory Bird Day

All Sessions are FREE and Open to the Public

THE BURNING QUESTION

Date: Tuesday, May 4 Time: 7:00-8:00 p.m. Location: Park H.S. Library

Are burned forests birding hotspots of diversity? Hear how a diversity of birds can be maintained through a mosaic of habitat conditions, including burned,

dead and live forests. Presenter: Vicki Saab.

Rocky Mountain Research Station

TAKING FLIGHT WITH LEWIS & CLARK: A Confluence of Cultures

Date: Tuesday, May 4 Time: 8:00-9:00 p.m. Location: Park H.S. Library

Lewis & Clark's Journey of Discovery was significant to cultural relations and American birding. Actual bird mounts and feather adornments make this hands-on presentation unique.

Presenter: Carla Wambach,

Speaker's Bureau

MIGRATORY RAPTORS

Date: Thursday, May 6 Time: 7:00-8:00 p.m. Location: Park H.S. Library

This talk will focus on local migratory raptors. Live birds from the Montana Raptor Conservation Center will be present for viewing.

Presenter: MRCC staff

BIRD MIGRATION:

Amazing Feats of North American Birds

Date: Thursday, May 6 Time: 8:00-9:00 p.m. Location: Park H.S. Library

Swainson's Hawks are native Montanans. one species of many with a snowbird habit of migrating as far south as Argentina. Learn about this interesting summer resident raptor, and other local bird species that fly south for winter.

Presenter: Terry McEneaney,

Yellowstone National Park Ornithologist

BIRDS OF A FEATHER NESTING TOGETHER!

Date: Saturday, May 8 Time: 7:30 a.m. – afternoon

Join local birding guides for birding field trips in celebration of International Migratory Bird Day! This years theme is colonial nesting

birds, and will focus on viewing Great Blue Heron rookeries as well as general bird watching.

Presenters: Rachel Feigley & Staff Forest Service Wildlife Biologist

NOTE: You **must** call Rachel Feigley at Livingston Ranger District to reserve your spot on this trip (406) 222-1892.

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